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I believe I am an original and first and joint  
inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a  
patent is sought on the invention entitled **METHOD OF**  
**DETERMINING THE EFFICIENCY OF A DIALYZER OF A DIALYSIS MACHINE**  
**AND A DIALYSIS MACHINE FOR CARRYING OUT THIS METHOD**, the  
specification of which was filed in the United States Patent  
and Trademark Office on June 22, 2000, Serial No. 09/599,334.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand  
the contents of the above identified specification, including  
the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that  
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